

The Board, having duly considered the matter, notes that because the Board voided the prior decision under Docket No. 19-1354, OWCP had no jurisdiction to issue the December 8, 2020 decision. Consequently, the December 8, 2020 decision is null and void.

Pursuant to 5 U.S.C. § 8149 and 20 C.F.R. §§ 501.2(c) and 501.3(a), the Board's jurisdiction is limited to review of final adverse decisions of OWCP issued under the Federal Employees' Compensation Act (FECA).¹ As the December 8, 2020 decision is null and void, the appeal assigned Docket No. 21-0945 does not contain a final adverse decision over which the Board may properly take jurisdiction.² Therefore, the Board finds that the appeal docketed as No. 21-0945 is dismissed. Accordingly,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT the appeal docketed as No. 21-0945 is dismissed.

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Washington, DC

Alec J. Koromilas, Chief Judge
Employees' Compensation Appeals Board

Janice B. Askin, Judge
Employees' Compensation Appeals Board

Valerie D. Evans-Harrell, Alternate Judge
Employees' Compensation Appeals Board

¹ 5 U.S.C. § 8101 *et seq.*; 20 C.F.R. §§ 501.2(c) and 501.3(a).

² *See Order Dismissing Appeal, L.R.*, Docket No. 20-1447 (issued April 7, 2021).